



## PEI Policy Hackathon Previous Case Lists

The Policy Hack is based on real world issues affecting governments, and these make up the cases for which teams develop creative solutions. The Policy Hack presents an exciting opportunity for an interdisciplinary team to examine a policy issue or question through a unique lens. This event delivers real results as approaches generated through past competitions have been utilized by case sponsors towards solving their respective policy challenge.

### 2018 Case Descriptions

1. How could Government of PEI create a 'One Citizen/One Number' approach to serving the needs of Islanders?
2. How can public-private land use tensions be overcome to improve sustainability opportunities for PEI?
3. How could cider production be developed in the province in the face of trade protectionism?
4. How can the public be better engaged in traffic safety (i.e.: texting and driving, safe cycling, pedestrians, speeding, substance use, etc.) beyond traditional regulatory approaches?
5. How can Government of PEI foster social connectedness and cohesion through Island-wide solutions for vulnerable populations?
6. How can opportunities for tourism shoulder season expansion be optimized in Atlantic Canada?
7. What can be done to prevent harassment and promote respect in the workplace?
8. How could government lead by example for a greener future (i.e.: operations, modern work spaces, etc)?
9. How can the provincial Social Assistance program be redesigned to better meet the needs of clients exempt from seeking employment?
10. How might Veterans' access to family physicians be enhanced?

### 2019 Case Descriptions

1. How can the Province increase inter-provincial migration and repatriation?
2. What initiatives, policies, and programs should be developed and implemented by the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries to improve gender inclusion in agriculture, aquaculture and fisheries in PEI?
3. What are the components of a policy and program framework to support the mental health of farm workers in PEI?
4. How can the Student Well-being Teams balance the need for informed consent and protection of privacy against the need to be responsive and accessible to students in schools?
5. How can the Province help partners effectively report on the implementation of the Poverty Reduction Action Plan?

### 2020 Case Descriptions

1. What are the elements needed for an effective diversity and inclusion accountability framework?
2. What can Government do to strengthen self-exclusion provisions for gambling?
3. How can Government provide better information access and navigation experiences for Islanders age 65+?

4. How can Governments support PEI food companies adapt to future food packaging requirements and demands?
5. What would a Government (provincial) Innovation Lab look like and how could Government implement it?
6. How can the Government address the agricultural sector labour shortage?

## **2021 Case Descriptions**

1. Early learning and child care: How can the PEI government work with the sector to develop buy-in with Islanders about the value and impact of early learning and child care centre approaches and programs for children?
2. Impaired driving culture: How can the Province effectively target different populations to address the prevalence of impaired driving behavior in Prince Edward Island?
3. Gender diversity and health: How do we create welcoming, safe, and inclusive health care environments for gender diverse Islanders?
4. Racism and diversity: How can the Department of Economic Growth, Tourism and Culture play a leadership role and take action (i.e. new policies, initiatives, supports) to address racism and further support more diverse and inclusive communities across PEI?
5. Sustainable transportation: What can the Province do to address barriers to sustainable transportation that islanders living in low income are facing?
6. Artificial intelligence: What are the key components of a framework for government to ensure ethical use of AI for service delivery?